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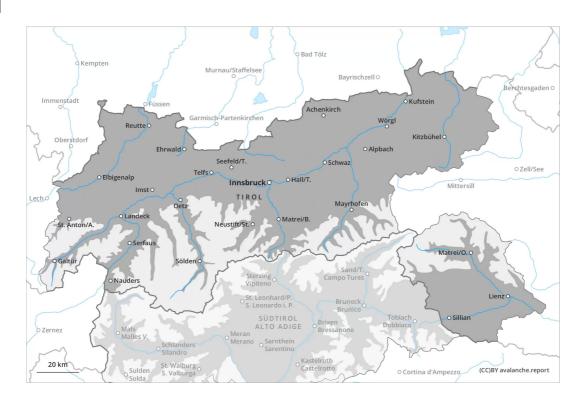
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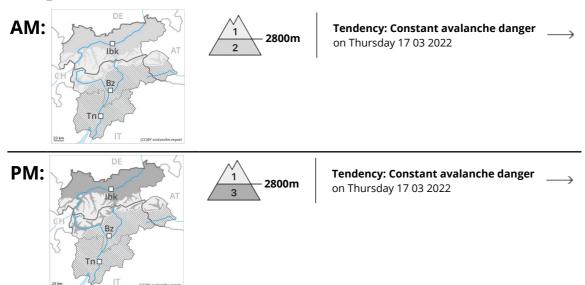


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Danger Level 3 - Considerable



Further increase in danger of wet and gliding avalanches in the course of the day.

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The small wind slabs can be released even by a single winter sport participant on extremely steep, little used shady slopes at elevated altitudes. Individual avalanche prone locations are to be found especially adjacent to ridgelines and in pass areas above approximately 2400 m. They are to be evaluated with care and prudence in particular in terrain where there is a danger of falling.

Snowpack

Danger patterns

dp.10: springtime scenario

As a consequence of mild temperatures and rain up to intermediate altitudes the snowpack can not consolidate. The surface of the snowpack is not frozen. This situation will give rise from the early morning to a loss of strength within the snowpack in particular on steep sunny slopes below approximately 2800 m. In areas where the snow cover is rather shallow the snowpack will soften more quickly.

The rather small wind slabs are bonding only slowly with the old snowpack on steep shady slopes at elevated altitudes. Snow depths vary greatly, depending on the infuence of the wind.

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Tendency

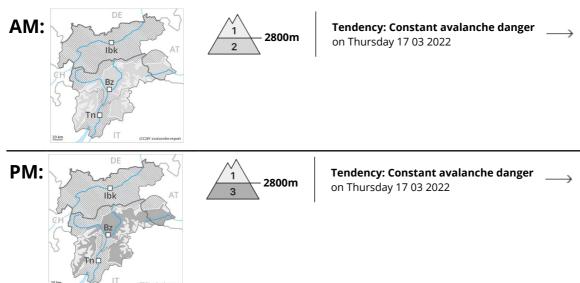
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Danger patterns

dp.10: springtime scenario

As a consequence of mild temperatures and high relative humidity the snowpack can not consolidate during the night. The surface of the snowpack will freeze, but a strong crust will not form. This situation will give rise from the early morning to rapid and thorough wetting of the snowpack in particular on steep sunny slopes below approximately 2800 m. In areas where the snow cover is rather shallow the snowpack will soften more quickly.

The small wind slabs of the weekend are now only very rarely prone to triggering.

Snow depths vary greatly, depending on the infuence of the wind. In particular in the south as well as at low and intermediate altitudes only a little snow is now lying.

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